TO HER IDENTITY.

Scornfully Refutes the Charge That She is Given to Writing Poctry-Past Week Fornished Many Social Events of All Descriptions.

It seems that several writers have com-

plained of being accused of writing the Nancy Yanks letters.
Allow me to state that Nancy has a few complaints to enter on her own account.
In the first place, she has been accused of being a poetess. Think of that! a poet-ess! Could anything be worse!
It wouldn't be so had if they accused her

It wouldn't be so ban it they accused and of being one or two poetesses who write lines containing a few thoughts, but they accuse her of being a poetess who writes lame verse, the very lamest kind of verse, something always the matter with the

They are always either too long or too short, too many of them or not enough.

This is terrible. Very soon they will be saying she is the writer of those beautiful rerses commencing: "The gentle heifer softly whinnies to her

mate."
This is all bad enough; but when they accuse her of being a Kentuckian then it is, that the impluse comes upon her to, either draw forth a 32-calibre Smith and either draw forth a 32-calibre Smith and Wesson six-shooter from her right hip pocket and shoot; or take a bottle of Old Crow from the left pocket and imbibe something therefrom which shall assist her in bearing up under the accusation.

Nancy prides herself on the fact that the talks like white people. She faucks she pronounces an "r." once in a while, and occasionally sounds an "ing."

Have you ever listened to the conversation of a Kentucky lady, when she first comes west? It is something like this:

"Deah me! I nevah saw anythin like the way these po' women hav' ter woke out beah.

"Wby, it's en'uf to kill 'em. We wo-men at home nevah hav' ter woke. All we hav' ter do is ter jus' sit an' hoi' our

When they talk like this, you may know what they had to do at home. They had There are a good many rails in Ken-

There are a good many rails in Kentucky, and the men are either too busy shooting or too lazy to work; so that I have heard that most of this work, which isn't hard after you get used to it, falls on the women. By the way, did you ever hear of a Kentuckian who didn't come from the Blue Grass region?

What a crowd there must be in that little patch of country of forty or fifty square miles, and the rest of the state a barren waste unpoppeded.

peopled.

Between you and me, all that mountainous country is peopled and by the greenest people on earth; green as their own mountains. People who can neither read, write nor talk intelligently. Hornyhanded sons of the soil, and women old and worn out before their time with work and trouble. Women with a look of watching and waiting in their eyes, watching and waiting for their husbands to be brought home on a shutter, shot

to be brought home on a shutter, shot through the heart.

This look is not confined to the common class. The grand dames since the "wash," for the neXt greatest achievement to shooting a man in Kentucky is to get shot yourself in an affair of "honnah."

All these frightful accusations Nancy will bear in meekness and with as much resignation as she can summon to her aid, but the moment she hears the faintest insinuation that she is Mary Ellen Lease in disguise, then will she bid farewell to nom, de-plumes and literary work in disgustand return to her old and time-honored occupation of dish washing.

NANCY YANKS.

T. B. Garst Tuesday.

evening in honor of Mrs. C. A. Van Ness

The Mirror's "jeunesse doree" breaks loose again this week. Somebody should take a club and kill it.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Brook and Mrs. L.

M. Richardson entertained the Cold Water club last evening. The Coronado reception last Tuesday

was postponed a week on account of the leath of Mr. Harry Shepherd. Mr. and Mrs. Frank. Oliver entertained at dinner Thursday evening. Their guests were Messra, and Mesdames Howard Case, Charles Smyth, C. J. Pintard, Miss Myers of St. Louis and Mr. L. G. Yoeum.

The QueenCity lodge will repeat the

Williams at the Coronado club, Friday Williams at the Coronado club, Friday svening. Those present were Judge Sluss, Judge Wall, Edwin White Moore, J. D. Houston, Harry Gordon, Dr. Neeley, Tom Fitch, W. C. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Vail entertained the Duplicate Whist club Monday evening. Mrs. Vail and Mrs. C. H. Smyth won the prizes. The players were Messis, and Mesdames E. E. Bleckley, W. C. Laule, C. H. Smyth, T. B. Wail, F. W. Waller, F. B. Smyth, H. T. Kramer. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weil entertained the Columbian Whist club Thursday even-ing. The guests were Messrs, and Mes-dames Allen, Knoblauch and Warren,

Miss Sara Coapman entertained at cards Wednesday evening. Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. Johnston, Jr., Misses Eiva Walker, Tionie Cleaveland, Harrier Johnston, Genevra Joedyn, and Messrs, Chapman, D. H. Kennett, F. G. Smyth, L. G. Yocum and George Chapman. G. Yocum and George Chapman.

Mayor and Mrs. Cox entertained the Waco Avenue Whist club, Treeday evening. Mrs. Burrell and Mr. Walters won the prizes. The players were Messrs and Mesdames Luling, Wilbur and Mesdames Eno, Aiken, Burrell, Misses Jessie Cox. Ada Aikin, Mary Eno and Messrs. Walter Dyer, S. H. Ashton, W. Wilson and J. E. Luling.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Alexander enter-tained Thursday evening. The guests were Messrs, and Mesdames Hambrick, Diver, Folck, Bergman, Dodson, Stearns, Anderson, McBride, Henderson, Misses Miner and Folck, Mr. McBride and Mrs. Dodson and Mrs. Anderson and Mr. Hen-derson won the brizes.

RISES TO EXPLAIN

Vennard, Flora Millison, Sadie Joseph,
Ida Joseph, Georgia Parr, Lena Reams,
Bessie Reed, and Messrs, Vernon Frazer,
Charles Joseph, Anson Rutan, Will
Allen, Harry Johnson, Lou Van Ness,
Leshie Doyle.

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Mrs. George L. Douglass entertained the Tuesday Afternoon Whist club. Mrs. Will Nash won the prize. The players were Mesdames W. C. Little, W. B. Compbell of Troy, C. A. Walker, F. Ross, Mrs. Langtre, E. Vall, T. Rogers, J. H. Hettenger, J. E. Oldham, J. N. McCall, A. S. Munson, R. Rays, H. L. Gordon, C. M. Jones, and A. Parks.

Joner, and A. Parks.

Mrs. A. S. Parks entertained at whist yesterday afternoon. Her guests were W. J. Stout, J. D. Houston, Reuben Roys, Fred Smyth, James L. Dyer, Frazak Wood, Will Nash, Et. Vall, W. B. Campbell, F. Coen, W. F. Green, W. S. Corbett, I. H. Hettinger, Finiay Ross, Frank Oliver, C. J. Fletcher, T. B. Churchward.

Mrs. H. T. Kramer entertained the Players' Whist club Thesday afternoon. Mrs. Rouse and Mrs. Oliver won the prizes. The players were Mesdames A. W. Oliver, William Iunes, C. Cohn, T. B. Wall, M. W. Levy, W. A. Thomas, A. H. Imboden, N. F. Neiderlander, H. Case, A. H. Fabrique, George L. Rouse, Wise, Frank Oliver, and Miss Lucy Gutbrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Goldberg enter-tained in honor of Mrs. C. H. VanNess, Tuesday evening. The guests were Messrs, and Mesdames M. C. Campbell, C. Aylestury, Chester Firebaugh, C. M. Jones, H. Vermillion, H. C. Sluss, C. C. Furley, J. H. Aley, Russell Harding, L. D. Skinner, Finlay Ross, Reusen Roys, Coler Sim; Mesdames Kos Harris and Swearingen.

Mrs. Ed. O'Bryan entertained Wednes-Mrs. Ed. O'Bryan entertained Wednes-day evening in compliment to Miss Schue of Leavenworth. Her guests were Misses Julia Woods, Jessie Kendall, Bearrice Atkins, Laura Myers, Ida Rudolph, Grace McAdams, Beatrice Thomas and Messis. Huse Taylor, Kalon Niederlander, Leslie Larimer, George Faye, Dr. Hoffman, W. Tronpe, Dale Snively, Will Campbell, George Hove.

Mr. and Mrs. Gas Anderson celebrated Mr. and Mrs. Gas Anderson celebrated the fifth anniversary of their marriage, Tuesday evening. The guests were Messrs. and Mesdames L. M. Cox, H. Lytle, L. D. Westgate, E. R. Spangler, W. Kyle of Chicago, A. H. Ward, John Henderson, S. S. Westgate, George Van Werden, C. C. Campbell, B. E. Zirtman, S. S. Alexan-der, R. A. Haymaker and Miss Rose Westcate.

In London it is said that the society In London it is said that the society young men are so self-important that they seldom or never leave a card with their hostess after a reception or a party. If this be true Wichita is not behind the times, as a lady in Wichita recently, gave a large party in honor of a visiting young lady, and but one of the invited gentlemen had the courtesy to call or leave a card, and that young man was married.

Hypatia celebrated its eighth anniversary, Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Hill, The charter members, Mes-dames Todd, Strong, Baidwin, Hills, McCoy, Stevens, Collings and Henderson McCoy, Stevens, Collings and Henderson received the guests. Mrs. Toler gave the address of welcome. Mrs. Strong read a paper on "Chib Music." Mrs. Baldwin talked on "The Home." Mrs. McCoy gave the history of the club in thyme. Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Dyer and Mrs. Hendryx responded to toasts. Mrs. G. W. Collings read a history of the club.

Mrs. W. S. Corbett entertained Friday

Mrs. W. S. Corbett entertained Friday afternoon at whist. Mrs. Vait won the prize. Roy Kramer, Ed Noble, Ned Larimer, Lee and Roy Corbeet furnished the music. The guests were Mesdames J. P. Allen, George L. Douglass, J. L. Dyer, Frank Oliver, George Roorr, I. H. Hettinger, C. J. Pintard, S. Alexander, Fred Waller, T. B. Wall, Ray Oliver, C. Case, A. S. Munson, Ed. Vail, Langtree, Harry Gordon, W. B. Campbeil, C. J. Fietcher, J. H. McCail, J. E. Oldham, A. H. a. Fabrique, W. J. Stout, William Innes, C. A. Walker, O. D. Barnes, C. M. Jones, George L. Pratt, H. T. Kramer, Will Mash, W. C. Little, Finlay Ross, Reinben Roys, A. S. Parks, R. Coates, W. A. P. Thomas, A. W. Oliver.

The Tursday Afternoon Whist club beat the Ladden Alternoon Whist club beat conditions and the Ladden Alternoon Whist club beat conditions.

The Coronado club gave another stag party last evening.

The Tuesday Afternoon Whist club beat the Ladles olub at a match game. Tuesday Afternoon club won by 18 points, Mrs. W. E. Whittaker entertained Wednesday evening.

Mrs. B. H. Campbell will entertain the tooking club Thursday.

Mrs. George L. Pratt will give a dancing party Wednesday evening.

Miss Gertrude Hays and Mrs. Lee Hays have returned from Cleveland, O.

Mrs. R. Vermilion entertained Friday stening in honor of Mrs. C. A. VanNess Mr. and Mrs. Litchfield of South Lawrence avenue entertained Tuesday effect.

Mrs. G. L. Pratt and Mrs. W. John ston will give a reception Tuesday after.

Thomas, A. W. Oliver.

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Misses Gertie Lauck, Bessie Dagner and Gertie Moore entertained the Sweet

the Queen try longe will repeat the A.O. U.W. Ball next Wednesday evening The first ball, last Wednesday, was a great success and there is a demand that it be given Boone, Will Hoffman, George Chapman

Shoemaker, Clella and Ethel Willford, Ethyl Botts, Osle Bergeman, Etha Shaw, Ida Palmer, Daryl Dunny, Mabel Edifice, Winnie Barues, Clarence and Rob Norris, Edna Goldstandt, Susie Houk, Helene Burrell, Sedgwick and Gay Levy, Edgar Kralishamier, Walter and Edgar Hess, Dick Hays, Verne Mellinger, Lulu and Libryd Roberts, Josle and Jamie English, Elenor Larkin, Iva Cole, Helea Pratt, Barbara Preston, Fanide Oliver, Mand and Lottle Hess, Karl Mossbacker, Edna Stillwell, Carl Gertis, Lucile and Paul Skinner, Milited Carrer, Bob Torrington, Emily Torrington, Bessie and Jack Dangiss, Virgie Cozatt, Florence Reel, Pearl and Rey Taylor, May Comley, Cornello Cozatt, Florence Reel, Pearl and Rey Taylor, May Comley, Cornello Cozatt, Florence Reel Don't forget the time and Shoemaker, Clella and Ethel

"Many had a little lamb"— Echo of childbood's ha'nts: But the Evolution principle Has put the Lamb in pants.

While "May had a little lamb," The Lamb has Mary how; But Mary Yellen, like the flea, is hard to catch, I vow.

They must call the scrap 'a draw'-Henore di ide as well; For Mary will be 'Queen of Pops' When the Lamb has gone to-Well, back to Wichital"

the Piorence Bullista: be that the spirit of her departed giory is asserting itself.

proving to her, by his tame surrender, OLD SETTLERS MEET From the Fiscence Eulietin. Jeff Davis was married at Wichita last

week. It is to be hoped that he will make no attempt to disrapt the union. From the Topeka Journ The Leon murderer was taken to Wicnita to protect him from a mob. The Wichita jail is noted for the difficulty of getting in and the case of getting out.

From the Blackwell Eagle,

The Episcopal church of Wichita is
haunted by an unholy ghost that plays
"After the Ball" upon the sacred organ. A Wichita barber throws in a violin solo

with speak. every shave-two scrapes, so to From the Abliene Reflector.

Some reforms don't succeed in Wichita. One of the teachers in the city schools recently got the idea that she was called on to wear short skirts and various other dress reform oddities, and tried it. She said that a number of leading ladies of the city said they would follow if she would make a start. Did they? Not much. They all sat back and laughed, and the school board gave her the choice of wearing conventional garments or being dismissed. The reform movement is suspended in Wichita for the present. From the Abilene Reflector

From the Kansas City star. A Wichita woman has written a play which is being produced by home taient. Into each life some rain must fall, some days must be dark and dreary.

From the Topeka Mail.

Judging from the new faces seen on the
police force of late, there must have been
a fresh importation from Wichita recently.

cently. It is no wonder Ciyde Mattox, the mur-derer, got discouraged and allowed him-self to be captured. Three Wichita poets attacked him in verse, and if that is not enough to make a man feel that life is not worth living it is hard to see what would. From the Salina Republican.

Marshal Neely will transfer the United Sates marshal headquarters from Topeka o Leavenworth. This probably will earn Mr. Neely a complimentary remark from the Leavenworth Times, but Topeka should be reconcised because Clyde Mat-tox is to be taken from Wichita to that

From the Blackwell Engle.
The Wichita EAGLE has a new artist who can draw houses and trees—but by the great headlight of human fortune, what faces he makes!

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

JULE WALTERS IN "SIDE TRACKED." Many new and novel features will be introduced in the coming presentation of that very funny comedy, "Side Tracked," to be seen at Crawford's Tuesday and Wednesday nights. With Jule Walters as the gentlemanly tramp is almost a guarantee that the performance will be up to the standard. Mr. Walters' version of a "tramp" is certainly an original one and shows that he possesses unusual cleverness as a comedian. "Side Tracked" is almost entirely re-written this season and several characters added. The company carries all scenery for the production.

Collings read a history of the club.

A birthday surprise was given Miss Daisy Finey at her home, 131 Hydraulic avenue. Those present were Misses Jennie Reynolds, Annie and Jennie Cummings, Mary Stilley, Lillie Kendall, Josie Monahan, Mary Keller, Celia Williams, Hattae Thomas, Myr.le Kendall, Alonie Keller, Jeannette Ferguson, Mary Williams, Etta Walls, Lizzie Litchfield and Cressie Barrick; Messrs, Frank Litchfield, Alonzo Stilley, Pierce Walker, Homer Ray, Earle Barrick, Reid Finey, Horace Hollingsworth, Frank McAnary, Charlie Colvin, Albert Williams and John Morrison.

The union depot in Jonesboro is very realistic and amusing, and in the third act two most original and funny railroad scenes are introduced. The passenger train is described as the most realistic ever presented. In this act there will also be a multitude of specialties of a very high order, including Murphy and Mackin, the world's greatest musical comedians, and little Ada Walters, America's supreme child artist. Her dancing is phenomenal. The Columbian dance, a positive novelty, introduced by Miss Louise Lewellyo, is said to be beautifully pictured. "Side said to be beautifully pictured. Tracked" will be enjoyed by all who at-

> "Si Plunkard," a Yankee co medy illustrating farm life, at English's last night, had a large house. J. C. Lewis plays the leading role, and scores a great point with his wonderful whistling, which is simply marvelous. He was not at his best last night, as he was not at all well, Sam C. Young as Felix Smart made a capital Dutchman and the audience insisted upon frequent repetition of his songs and dances. Another good character was Mr. Price's Moses, a Jewish money lender, All of the neguliarities were stronger and

This popular play will be given by the

Misses Gertie Lauck, Bessie Dagner and Gertie Moore entertained the Sweet Sixteen club, at the home of Miss Lauck, Thursday evening. Professor Blume and Miss Ford furnished the dance music. The guests were Misses Fanny Lewis, Susie Elmore, Sara Chapman, Lewis Bone, Beatrice Thomas, Harriet Johnston, Fanny Boone, Ida Richter, Rea Woodman, Maui Pratt, Anna Abram of Louisville, Kyr, Laura Myers of St. Louis, Pearl Skinner, May Young, Genevra Jocelyn and Messis, Dale Sulvely, Ed Allen, Dr. Hoffman, diuse Taylor, Bruce Priddy, D. Kennett, Fred Mancourt, Lew Hamilton, Carl, Niederlander, O. R. Stocker, Todd Speed, Ralph Niederlander, W. Troupe, J. A. Allison, George Gurley, L. G. Yocum, Maurice Viele, Will Campbell, Williard Boone, Will Hoffman, George Chapman Wichita Musical club on Monday evening,

o, wherever she has sung, has won ad-Ann.

The attorneys gave a banquet to Judge at Garfield Hall. There were a number at Garfield Hall. There were a number of famey dances. The guests were Pearl ed through the heart. Wichita has also nides Wall. Edwir White March. Treva Aley, Marie Nash, Josie seen the development of Mr. Garst's voice with the seen the development of Mr. Garst's voice at the develop mirers by the hundreds, both amongst seen the development of Mr. Garst's voice from the student work of several years ago

packed house. Don't forget the time and place, Monday, Jan. 29, at the Crawford

PHILOMATREAN PROGRAM.

The Philomathean society will hold its weekly meeting in its hall in the Wichita university, on Monday evening, Jan 29, at 8 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited Endeavor of the Friend's church will give to attend. The following program will be a box supper and social Wednesday evenat So'clock. Everybody cordially invited rendered.

Music Piano and Mandolin .

Music Piano and Mandolin .

Question Box Rew Morgan Insperiols J. W. Grinstead Reading .

Life of Longfellow William Yagor Life of Longfellow . H. S. Bird Poem from Longfellow . Mass Hattle Surbeck Solitogy . J. H. Kamm Quototions Louis Waggoner Humorous Reading Stacos Thompson Mandolin Harband Piano. Question Box Poem reSolitority
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SEDGWICK COUNTY'S OLD-TIMERS ELECT OFFICERS.

Motion Made to Extend the Limit For Eligibility to Old Settlership From 1871 to 1873.

program of which will be published soon.

ed a large display specimen of pen work which attracts much attention at the Y.

week after an absence of several weeks. He will remain now until he fluishes the commercial course.

SOUTHWESTERN COLLEGE NOTES. Misses Gile and Sheriff left yesterday for a short vacation.

effected a permanent organization. The there, and there are dogwood and bawmeetings will be held regularly on every
Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m.

Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m.

The thorn, masses of yellow jessamine hanging from tree and shrub—everywere a riot of color, and a luxurance of bloom. For

the shortband department, accepted a position at \$50 per month in Nebtaska.

Mr. Charles Martin, one of last year's graduates of the business course, returned to take a special course in business returned to take a special course in business returned. to take a special course in business pen-

Miss May Palmer is at Leon over Sun-

Harry Bone of Ashland is in the city risiting his parents and old friends.

The wife of Samuel Dills is lying very ill at Benton. Her recovery is very doubtful A number of Italians left last evening for San Francisco to attend the mid-winter

Mrs. E. C. Cowden of 611 East Central has been quite sick this week with the Peter Laux, Frank Hammond and John

Carey were three drunks brought to the station house yesterday, In Justice Keenans court the Wichita to Rome. Ga., for interment. Implement company filed an attachment

on the household goods and other property of G. W. Benton. Charles Lawrence was elected vice president of the National Photographic Supply association, which held a meeting

at St, Louis last week. The ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps will give a very unique experience social shares held in that county, and the re-

this city, was brought to the home of his this means a large proportion of the wage

Miss Bertha Reese entertained a few intimate friends Friday evening. Those present were Misses Mabel Ayer, Mary Wilson; Messrs, Leslie Larimer, Dr. C. G. Adams, Harry Dunbar. The Young People's Society of Christian

ing, Jan. 31, at 307 North Fourth avenue. All are cordially invited. The Ladies' Aid society of the First

Jan. 31. A fine musical program will add to the pleasure of the evening. Miss An na Kegler, who has been visit ing Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Weinscheuck for the Kansas cilmate and thinks there is no high standard.

the church pariors on Wednesday evening,

were Messix, and Mesdames Hambrick, Diver, Folck, Bergman, Dodson, Steams, Anderson, McBridge, Henderson, McBridge, Henderson, Misses, Miner and Folck, Mr. McBridge and Mrs. Dodson and Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Bodson and Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Henderson wou the prizes.

Miss Lillian Lewis entertained the "As Misses entertained the "As Misses and Mrs. Carbon and Mrs. Carbon and Mrs. Beach with the United States, Mrs. Beach will be the service of the General States, and Mrs. Beach of the Justice Lawrence and Mrs. Beach will be the following witness to the General States and Mrs. Beach of the Justice Lawrence and Mrs. Beach will be the General States and Mrs. Beach of the General States and Mrs. Beach will be the General States and Mrs. Beach will be the General States and Mrs. Be

A WICHITA GIRL IN LOUISIANA. Indian Mounds, La., Jan. 22, 1894.

Spring is always the most delightful season of the year, in its gradual approach after the chill and gloom of a long winter. But to close one's eyes in the midst of winter and open them on a spring, as it were, full of bloom, is an experience to linger always in one's memory with a peculiar charm. Such a one the rapidity of modern railroad travel makes possible, and it was with a feeling of delightful anticipation

For Eligibility to Old Settlers ship From 1871 to 1873.

Will Add Greatly to the Membership.

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Yesterday the old settlers of Selgwick county held a meeting at the court house and elected the following officers.

Mrs. H. V. Reed, vice president, C. A. Phillips, secretary.

Isase T. Ault, treasurer.

Fred A. Sowars, historian.

The meeting was a strong one and interesting to look in upon. One venerable gentleman was peeping in through the gentleman was peeping to the gentleman was peeping in through the gentleman was peeping to the gentl

The other features of the day will be a fine entertainment in the afternoon, a program of which will be published soon.

COMMERCIAL COLIEGE NOTES.

The social and reunion was postponed on account of the cold weather but will be given in the near future.

Professor F. E. Reppert has just finished a large display specimen of pen work which attracts much attention at the Y.

monarchs of the forest unchanged while generations come and go.

Morning and smilight clothe the woods in beauty, and wnile dispelling the gloom, never take from them the prevailing solemn aspect which the long moss gives while adding to their charm, for when the rays of the sunlight shine through, it gives the most delicate, lace-like effect to the long, swaying festoons.

Here one feels that truly are the groves, "God's temples," and more purely and sincerely than in "fretten aisle" and lofty wult of man's contriving, the heart gives

which attracts much attention at the Y.
M. C. A. entrance. It is a beautiful piece of art work.

Mr. Charlie Knorr of the Wichita Wholesale Grocery company, entered during the week for a special course in commercial law.

This far we have had more calls for book-keepers, stenographers and teachers than we have been able to supply.

Mr. Louis Miller returned to school this feet.

B-autiful even in winter, what the woods are when spring has, like a magician's wand, touchest wood and meadow, no one who has not seen them can imagine. Then the wood glows with color: in the leaves all tones of green, from the dark glistening of the holly to the tender pale green of the oak. The flaming red of the maple bloom shiftes here and Miss Kate Elliott, a recent graduate of | nature in this southern land is no niggard

And around all, an air of such softness, that wrapped in its sensuous warmth the lotos eater's song is ours:

To use eater's solig is ours:

"All thruss have rest; why should we tell alone?
We only toll who are he first of thing,"
And make perpetual m sin,
Still from one sorrow to another thrown,
Nor ever fold our wings.
And cases from wanderings.
Sor steep our brows in slumners hely calm,
Nor harken what the liner spirit sings.
There is no joy but calm."

of R. B. Wallace, was buried yesterday at 2 o'clock p. m., having died Friday night Francis M. Schirmer, a former resident of Wichits, and who, while here, had charge of freights for the Jacob Dold & Sons Packing company, died yesterday at Kansas City. Mr. Schirmer was a native

of Georgia and his remains will be taken

A CITY OF HORES, A report of the state auditor of Indiana, The number in Marion county is 142. The money invested in that county is nearly capital of Indianapolis. There are 267,33 ceipts for the year 1888 were \$6,915,850. More than half the money invested in loaned through these associations. By earners own their homes. The principle upon which these associations is based is of the surplus funds of all the older cities. Our local association is destined to bring great results in the building of Wichita, Office over Wichita National bank.

A CARD FROM MR. OTTO ZIMMERMAN. The undersigned, Otto Zimmerman met with a serious accident on Sept. 4, 1860, which held him bedfast for twelve weeks He desires to acknowledge the promptness with which the benefits and obligations derived from accident insurance and fra-

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J. Turley & Co. 230 N. Main.

warming rays of the sun. F. A. Bryan was at the Carey last night egistered from Kansas City, Mo. J. D. Redgers came up from Wellington yesterday to spend Sudday in the city. D. B. Welpton of Omaha stopped at the Carey hotal last types. P. B. Gillett was in from Kingman yes-

terday. J. C. Morse of Wellington was at the Curey yesterday. J. E. DeVine was looking into the buelness and social condition of the west and Wichita yesterday. He come from Mid-dicton, Conn.

Thomas O. Hite was up from Gueda Springs yesterday. He thinks that busi-ness is picking up.

George Perry of Chicago spent yester-ay in Wicnita, where he enjoyed the varming rays of the sun. The Roy. Alex B. Brauer returned from

D. A. DRAL . Mgr.

Saxe City, lows, on the early Santa For train Saturday, and will occupy his own pulpit in Emperia Avenue M. E. church today, morning and evening. He say a registering themometer showed 31 degreen Thursday morning and others as low as 33. Uh !

There will be a special communication of Wichita Lodge No. 59, A. F. and A. M., Monday evening. Jan. 29, at 8 o'clock sharp, for work in the First degree. All past masters are requested to meet at lodge room at 7 p. m.

C. A. CARTWRIGHT, M. W. Regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Eighteenth street church at the home of Mrs. J. H. Jackson, 344 North Market, Tuesday, Jan 30, at 3 of a ock.
OLIVE SCHEMESS. See'y

Sunday school at the Salvation Army at the Perriem hall. Hodiness meeting at 11 o'clock; meeting af 3 and 8 p. m.

John R. Charlesworth will lecture in the board of trade ball, Sunday, Jan. 28, communing at 130 p. m. Subject, "The Sony of Creatons From Science and the Bude Admission free," SOUTH WHERITA MUSICAL CLUB

Wichita less evening.

J. W. McChesney of Red Wing. Minn.
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Nellie M. Wallace, the infant daughter

JEROME TURLEY, Pres.

75, 50, 25. Matinee 50, 35, 25.

just filed, shows that there are 477 building and loan associations in the state. times the amount of the banking buildings in that city was collected and well established that they absorb most

derived from accident insurance and fraternal societies were met. Although being unable to do work for a much longer
period, he made claim for only ten weeks
inability and received very promptly drafts
for 8250 from the Red Men's Fraternal Acsociation, 840 from the Improved Order of
Red Men of this city, 440 from the Order
of the Sons of Herrman, 450 from subordinate lodge L O. O. F., 350 encampment
L O. O. F., 350 Knights of Pythias, and
unceasing attention from the Kuights of
Honor, Turnverein Vorwarts and Canton
No. 5, 1 O. O. F. of this city. For all this
I desire to extend my thanks and make
public acknowledgement that all may see
the benefits to be derived by being a member of associations and secteties of this
high standard. Otto Zimmerman.

Thomas O. Hite was up from Greece
Springs yesterday.

J. B. Mansfield of Coldwater called on
some of our business men pesterday.

Jack Clark of New York was in the city
last night.

H. D. Madigan who makes his headquarters at Chicago made his appearance
on our streets yesterday.

G. M. White was down from the Missouri river cliffs to see how a more level
place could be made to appear, and might
have been found at the Hotel Carey yesterday afternoon.

Hugh Courtney of St. Louis was in
Wichita last evening.

J. W. McChesney of Red Wing, Minn,
spenn last night at the Hotel Carey. Presbyterian church will give a social in